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GreenEduLARP project steps in the beginning of a new school year

In the beginning of the new school year the GreenEdu Larp project has started to test the curriculum and toolkit with different schools. Testing at schools will last to the end of December 2023.

In autumn 2023 GreenEdu Larp project will develop Audiovisual hub where videos with tutorials will be produced in cooperation with animators with practical and useful tips for future applications, ready-to-use scenarios and digital resources that support the step-by-step application of each implementation phase of the project's curriculum.

Project strategy team will work with developing argumentation on soft skills development through EduLARP and their importance in combination with green actions and scenarios.



An environmental educational lunch in Tartu in Estonia at the end of September

At the end of September NGO Mondo and Peipsi Cooperation Center's organised an environmental educational role-playing lunch for educational workers in Tartu in Estonia.

On 28.09.2023 about 20 educators came together to get practical hints on how to use environmental educational role play games at school and also tested two games.

Discussion about educational role-playing as a method through which different topics can be addressed and students can develop global citizen competencies was introducing the game topics.

During the event "New Winds in the Island Country" and "Ceremony of Hope" were presented.

"Ceremony of Hope" is an environmental educational role-playing game "Ceremony of Hope" takes players 40 years into the future and tasks them with thinking about their lives, desires and feelings and gratitude.

"New winds in the island country" is an environmental educational role-playing game that leads to thinking about climate injustice. The players are the inhabitants of a small island. The island is located in a semi-open sea and is already being affected by climate change. Players take on the role of the inhabitants of five villages on the island, who come together to make three decisions about how to proceed with island life.



Report from Sweden

During week 39 a big organisation called Länsstyrelsen in Västmanland county arranges "a week for change to greener habits" through arts and creativity. LajvVerkstaden participated with the GEL project leading and



recording a lecture presenting the project.

The recording will be shared as an introduction to the project in Swedish. You can find the recording here: https://youtu.be/6y_3MPcpu9Q

Meanwhile the school year for our teachers has begun. At Gränbyschool in Uppsala the interest to use larp and roleplay as a pedagogical method is big. They have started a group for teachers interested in using larp and roleplay methods in their education.

New school year in Poland

The new school year promises to be very interesting, but also intense. We are entering the pilot testing of the curriculum and toolkit, eagerly awaiting the results and any comments from the participants testing the GreenEduLarp project.

The EduLarp method is not very widespread in Poland, so every effort to promote this method is very valuable. That's why it's worth mentioning an event in Krakow on September 9th. The Nausika Foundation organized a roleplaying game, "Forgotten Gods," inviting everyone to a fantastic adventure,

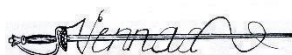
exploring the city, and participating in Larp.

In many cities in Poland, a campaign



promoting environmentally friendly behaviors for the protection of our planet, creating more green areas, and building gardens has started. In April, such a campaign took place in Lublin, and now in Krakow, this time under the name "Let's PLANT EDIBLES in the centre of Krakow!" The movement is gaining popularity, and more and more people are joining it, using every available space for planting plants.

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Starting from September, the Nausika Foundation is launching a series of training sessions that bring together teachers and activists with the common goal of educating young planet defenders. ♦ Freshly translated to Polish, role-playing games from the international consortium LARP FOR CLIMATE will be presented. ♦ Comprehensive materials for independently conducting the games in schools, camps, community centers, or during Erasmus exchanges will be made available.

Last but not least. Vote for our project!

GreenEduLARP officially participates in the European commission's challenge "Education for Climate Days 2023".

The challenge takes place for the second time, with this years' call theme being "Boosting Green Competences and Education Transformation", and is being inspired by the framework of the European Year of Skills.

You can follow and vote our project's participation in the following link: <https://education-for-climate.ec.europa.eu/community/group/education-climate-day-2023/topic/greenedularp-green-actions-school-using-educational-live>

